The **Tobin Memorial Award** for the outstanding graduating male and the **Rosemarie Martha Spitaleri Award** for the outstanding graduating female are two of UW’s prestigious awards. Each year, the awardees are recognized as the ideal exemplars of student scholarship and achievement. You are invited to nominate students you believe are worthy of recognition.

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**Criteria for the Tobin and Spitaleri Awards:**

- Academic excellence and achievement
- Contributions and service to the University of Wyoming
- Active participation and leadership in co-curricular activities
- Demonstrated good character and citizenship
- Will graduate with a bachelor’s degree in Fall 2013, Spring 2014, or Summer 2014

All nominations must include a letter that describes why the student is being nominated and how the student meets the award criteria listed above. Please submit your nomination electronically to studentaffairs@uwyo.edu or by mail to Student Affairs, 408 Old Main, Dept. 3066, 1000 E. University Ave., Laramie, WY 82071.

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Beginning January 31, 2014, each nominated student will be contacted and asked to prepare supplemental information that includes a resume, two additional letters of recommendation from an individual other than his/her nominator, and a one-page essay that highlights the student’s scholarship, leadership, and contributions to UW.

Each nominee who completes a nomination packet will be evaluated based on the criteria noted above. Finalists will participate in an interview with the selection committee in March, and the recipients will be announced at a luncheon on Friday, April 25, 2014.

**Nominations are due by 3 p.m. on Thursday, January 30, 2014.**

Please contact Roxanne Rector at 766-5123 or apyroxl@uwyo.edu or visit the web site at: www.uwyo.edu/studentaff if you have any questions.